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For good and valuable consideration, I, Christian H. Passow, 2324 Stone Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105 hereafter individually or collectively referred to as "Assignors";

Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Siemens Energy & Automation, a corporation organized and existing under the state laws of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 3333 Old Milton Parkway, Alpharetta, GA 30005, hereinafter "Assignee", its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in and for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned and filed on September 21, 2001, Application Serial No. 09/961,161 entitled:

## A PUSHER ASSEMBLY AND METHOD OF ASSEMBLING A PUSHER ASSEMBLY

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Agree that said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said improvements in its own name; and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or legal representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

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Before me this 2 day of November, 200	01, personally appeared Christian H. Passow, to me
personally known to be the person who is describe	ed in and who executed the above instrument, and
acknowledged to me that he executed the same of	his own free will for the purpose therein set forth.
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